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3.	$\boxtimes$	☑ Drawing(s) (when necessary as prescribed by 35 USC 113)										
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	d.	<ul> <li>DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)</li> <li>Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).</li> </ul>										
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6.		CD ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)										
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17.	X	Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
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19.		Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2), Applicant hereby requests that this patent application not be published pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(1). Applicant hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in this application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication of applications 18 months after filing of the application.
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